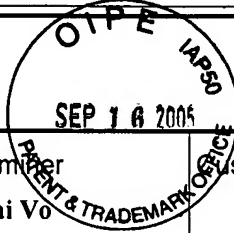


**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**  
**(Large Entity)**

Docket No.  
78200-040

In Re Application Of: Jean-Francois Courtoy, et al.



Application No. 10/046,019	Filing Date January 11, 2002	Examiner Hai Vo	Customer No. 23526	Group Art Unit 1771	Confirmation No. 5197
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Invention: **SELECTIVELY EMBOSSED SURFACE COVERINGS AND PROCESS OF MANUFACTURE**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of April 29, 2005 above-identified application.  
*Date*

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☐ One month      ☒ Two months      ☐ Three months      ☐ Four months      ☐ Five months

from: July 29, 2005      until: September 29, 2005  
*Date*      *Date*

The fee for the extension of time is \$450 and is to be paid as follows:

- ☒ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 14-1263
- ☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 14-1263
- ☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

**WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.**

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Dated: September 16, 2005

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